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 IN RE APPLICATION OF: Yasuo OHBA
 SERIAL NO: 10/773,297
 FILED: February 9, 2004
 FOR: NITRIDE COMPOUND SEMICONDUCTOR ELEMENT



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SIR:
 Transmitted herewith is a Second Preliminary Amendment and Remarks (6 pp.) in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith: Second Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. §1.132 (4 pp., executed)

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CLAIMS	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	NO. EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	CALCULATIONS
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INDEPENDENT	1	MINUS	3	0	x \$86 =	\$0.00
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SIR:

Further to the Preliminary Amendment filed February 9, 2004, and prior to examination on the merits, please amend the application identified above as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.